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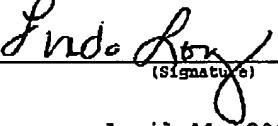
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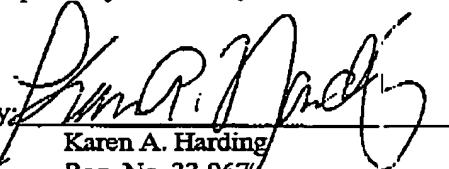
Response to Restriction Requirement

Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement dated March 15, 2006, applicant hereby elects Group 1, Claims 1-6 and 27, without prejudice to file a divisional application on the non-elected group. Applicants also elect species 1.

Respectfully submitted,

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